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Dear Ms. Roberson:

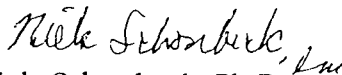
Dr. W. Iggy Litaor, a scientist who conducted research at Rocky Flats under contract to EG&G and then Kaiser-Hill, claimed to find significant migration of plutonium and other radionuclides in the soil at Rocky Flats in May 1995. Kaiser-Hill soon thereafter terminated his contract, so that not only was he unable to continue work in this area but he was also unable to prepare for publication the results of research already done.

Litaor has expressed interest in returning to Colorado for several weeks this summer (July to September 1998) to complete papers on his earlier findings for publication. The enclosed proposal explains what he expects to accomplish and what it will cost. The affected public as well as people at the Rocky Flats site need to see the results of Litaor's work, especially because of their possible significance for cleanup of the Rocky Flats site. We therefore write to ask DOE Rocky Flats to provide \$10,000 for Litaor to return to Colorado to complete this work in keeping with the enclosed proposal. Of course, we would also expect site personnel to cooperate with him in making available on-site resources he may need.

We would appreciate having an answer to this proposal by not later than March 25, 1998. If you have questions, please contact LeRoy at (303)444-6981 or FAX (303)444-6523

Yours sincerely,

  
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